

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : AKIO NODA, et al.

TITLE : OPTICAL ELEMENT FIXING
STRUCTURE, OPTICAL ELEMENT
FIXING BODY, OPTICAL
ELEMENT, AND OPTICAL
ELEMENT HOLDER

APPLICATION NO. : 10/535,578

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CONFIRMATION NO. : 7248

EXAMINER : Brandi N. Thomas

ART UNIT : 2873

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : TOMI 2 00008

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

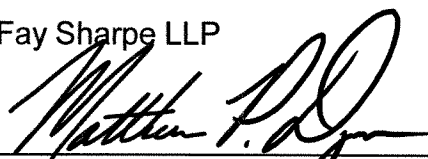
Dear Sir:

Applicant has reviewed the Interview Summary issued by the Examiner on December 2, 2009 regarding an Examiner-initiated telephone interview held on November 20, 2009. Applicant is in agreement with the substance of the Interview Summary as set forth by the Examiner.

More specifically, on November 20, 2009, the undersigned was contacted by Examiner Thomas in connection with the subject application. The Examiner explained that the claims of the subject application were in condition for allowance but that FIG. 7 of the drawings should be labeled as "Prior Art" and that formal drawings should be submitted. The undersigned agreed to make the requested changes to the drawings. The Examiner then indicated that a Notice of Allowance would be issued. No exhibits were shown or demonstrations conducted during this interview.

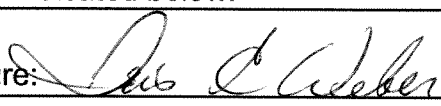
Respectfully submitted,

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